

CLAIMS

1. A flexible compartment system which comprises flexible webs (1, 1', 1", 1''') which can be tensioned between frame elements such as for example rods or can be suspended therefrom, wherein intermediate portions (2, 2', 2", 2''', 2''''') which also comprise flexible web material are connected to the tensionable or suspendable webs (1, 1', 1", 1''') in such a way as to afford a partitioning arrangement with compartments (3, 3', 3", 3''', 3'''''), wherein the compartment system has a number of compartments (3, 3', 3", 3''', 3''''') and is composed of a plurality of base elements (4, 4', 4", 4''', 21, 21', 21", 21''', 21''''') which each have a respective portion of the total number of compartments, characterised in that the base elements (4, 4', 4", 4''', 4''''', 21, 21', 21", 21''', 21''''') are sewn together along the openings or are joined together by means of a hook-and-loop fastener (13', 13''') or by means of a double-sided adhesive tape.

2. A flexible compartment system as set forth in claim 1 characterised in that the base elements (4, 4', 4", 21, 21', 21'') are each made up of four respective compartments (3, 3', 3'').

3. A flexible compartment system as set forth in one of claims 1 and 2 characterised in that the assembled base elements (4, 4', 4", 4''', 21, 21', 21", 21''') are identical.

4. A flexible compartment system as set forth in claims 1 through 3 characterised in that when two base elements (4', 4'', 4''', 21', 21'', 21''') are arranged in mutually superposed relationship the lowermost flexible web (16', 16'', 16''') of the respective upper base element is not fixed to the frame.

5. A flexible compartment system as set forth in one of claims 1 through 4 characterised in that the base elements (4''', 21''') are sewn together along the fixing to the frame or are connected together by means of a hook-and-loop fastener.

6. A flexible compartment system as set forth in one of claims 1 through 5 characterised in that the flexible webs (1, 1', 1", 1"', 1''', 1''''') of the base elements (4, 4', 4", 4''', 4''''', 21, 21', 21", 21''') are sewn at the sides to form loops (18, 18', 18", 18'', 18''', 18'''''), through which are passed tensioning rods (6, 6', 6'') for fixing to the frame.

7. A flexible compartment system as set forth in claim 6 characterised in that two mutually superposed base elements (4", 21'') each have only one respective loop half (7'', 8'') which are sewn so that they form a full loop.

8. A flexible compartment system as set forth in claim 6 characterised in that the complete loops (18, 18', 18", 18''', 18''''', 18''''') of two mutually superposed base elements (4'', 21'') are sewn together so that they form a full loop.

9. A flexible compartment system as set forth in one of claims 1 through 8 characterised in that the respective lowermost (16''''') and uppermost webs of a compartment system are provided with eyes (11''''') through which are passed tensioning rods (6''''') for fixing to the frame (12''''').